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Via Facsimile

Honorable George B. Daniels United States District Judge Southern District of New York 500 Pearl Street, Room 630 New York, New York 10007

United States v. Anthony Brooks,

07 Cr. 479 (GBD)

Dear Judge Daniels:

The Government respectfully requests that today's conference in the abovereferenced matter be adjourned until February 19, 2008, at 9:30 a.m. Sabrina Shroff, Esq., counsel for the defendant, is currently on trial, and thus, is unavailable for today's conference.

The Government also requests that the Court exclude time in the above-referenced matter until February 19, 2008, the date of the rescheduled conference. Such an exclusion is warranted because, among other reasons, it will allow the parties to discuss a possible disposition in this matter.

Respectfully submitted.

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The Court finds that the ends of justice served by granting a continuance outweigh the best interests of the public and the defendant in a speedy trial, because it will allow the parties to discuss a possible disposition in this matter. Accordingly, it is ORDERED that the time between the date of this Order and February 19, 2008, is hereby excluded under the Speedy Trial Act, 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(1)(H) & (h)(8)(A), in the interests of justice.

Dated:

New York, New York January, 2008

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UDGE GEORGE B. DANIELS

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE